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A M E R I C A.

Boston in New England, Nov. 6.

EARLY last Tuesday his Excellency our Governor set forward on his Journey to New Hampshire, and was met at Charlestown Ferry by his Honour the Lieutenant Governor, with a Number of the Gentlemen of his Majesty's Council, of the Justices and other Officers, Civil and Military, who waited on him to Mr. Justice's, where was an elegant Entertainment, and his Excellency proceeded from thence about Nine in the Morning, attended by the Life Guard, and a Number of Gentlemen, as far as Lyn, where he met by the High Sheriff of the County of Essex, many principal Gentlemen of that County, who accompanied his Excellency to the Hon. Col. Wainwright at Ipswich, where he was entertain'd in a handsome and polite Manner: And we hear Newbury, that his Excellency arrived there that day, lodg'd at the Hon. Madam Partridge's that night, and the next Morning passed the Ferry, in his way to his other Government.

Newbury in New Hampshire, Nov. 3. On Wednesday about Nine o'Clock in the Morning, his Excellency our Governor cross'd Merrimack River, and attended from thence by the principal Persons in Parts, to the Horse Tavern in Hampton; from thence his Excellency set out at Noon with an Escort of twenty Gentlemen, and about Two arrived in good time at the Hon. Col. Henry Sherburn's in this town, where he was handsomely received, and with attendance, generously regaled with an elegant dinner, and where the Evening was spent in drinking loyal Healths, and with hearty Rejoicings for his Excellency's safe Arrival amongst us. The next Day his Excellency was pleased to open a Session of General Assembly, with the following

Gentlemen of the Council and of the House of Representatives,

SINCE I met you last in General Assembly, I have nothing new in Command from his Majesty relating this Province.

The happy Tidings we have received of the Birth of a Prince, presumptive Heir to the Crown of Great Britain, gives us a fair Opportunity of addressing his Majesty with our dutiful Congratulations on this joyful

Letter I have received from Whitehall, by the last Ship, I have no Account of the Settlement of the Boundary Lines between this and the neighbouring Province, to which great Affair, I wish a happy and a happy Issue. You will do well to make Enquiry into the State and Circumstance of several publick Loans, and to see whether the Acts respecting them are comply'd with.

One of the last Ships from London, a Person of counterfeit Bills of the last Emission of this Province; and by the Vigilance of that Government, the Actors of this Villainy is seized, with the Acts and some of the Bills: It will therefore be in you to project some good Bills to be pass'd into Law to prevent the Forging of your Bills of Credit, their Value must necessarily sink, and the Practice bring other fatal Consequences on the Province.

Gentlemen of the Council, and of the House of Representatives, if you have any thing to lay before me for the Week, I shall give my cheerful Attendance. Unanimity in the Affairs of this Session, may bring it to a happy Conclusion. Nor shall any thing be wanting on my Part to advance his Majesty's Honour and Interest, together with that of the Welfare of his People.

Nov. 2. 1738.

J. BELCHER.

Nov. 3. This Day the House of Representatives made the following Answer to his Excellency's Speech, in the House of Representatives.

An Answer to his Excellency's Speech of the Second of November Current.

May it please your Excellency,

WE hope that we of this House are met to enter with a true Desire to do those Things that may be for his Majesty's Honour, and the Good and Benefit of his Subjects in this Province, whom we represent.

And your Excellency's assuring us in your Speech of your Readiness to do, and have put us in Mind of those Things which are of Concernment for the Good of this Province, we hope it will cause the greater Unanimity and Dispatch with us.

And we shall gladly congratulate his Majesty, and take the Opportunity to chuse a Committee of this House, to join with such as may be appointed at the Board, to draw up what may be thought proper, in order to address his Majesty on the joyful Tidings of the Birth of the late Prince.

As to the Boundary Lines between the two Provinces, we should have been very glad to have heard that it had been settled, and hope that in a short Time it may come to a good Issue.

Respecting the publick Loans, we shall appoint a Committee of this House, to join with such of the Council as shall be appointed at the Board, to take an exact Account of what is brought in, and how those Affairs stand; and then we shall consider what is proper to be done in order to comply with the former Acts, as near as may be.

As to the Bills of Credit as has been lately counterfeited, we shall take it into Consideration, and use the best Means we can, to put a Stop to such evil Practices.

Nov. 3. 1738.

Andr. Wiggin, Speaker.

Yesterday arrived the Mails due from Holland, France and Flanders.

Hanover, Dec. 12. O. S.

ON the 4th Instant a Detachment of Hanoverians, consisting of 500 Men, with two Field Pieces, march'd to take Possession of the Territory of Steinhorst, which belongs to the Privy Counsellor Wedderkop, wherein were posted 30 Dragoons in the Service of the King of Denmark. The Colonel who commanded the Detachment no sooner arrived, but he sent a Lieutenant to the Danish Captain in the Castle, to acquaint him, that he was come with Orders to take Possession of it, and if he refused, to turn him out by Force. The Danish Captain having answered the Lieutenant, that he was commanded to repel Force by Force, the two Officers had such high Words, that they drew their Swords and fought a Duel, in which the Danish Captain was killed on the Spot, and the Lieutenant mortally wounded. The Hanoverian Colonel having advanced with his Troops in the interim to begin the Attack, a very smart Skirmish ensued, wherein several Soldiers were kill'd on both Sides. The Danes then pull'd up their Draw-bridges, and retired into the Castle, where they defended themselves a while; but the Hanoverians having, by means of great Hooks, pluck'd down the Bridges, they enter'd the Castle, and took Possession of it, by virtue of an Instrument drawn up by a Lawyer and a Scrivener, whom they had sent for from Hamburg for the Purpose. The Danes being instantly disarm'd, were carried to the Frontiers, where they had their Horses and Arms restored to them; and such of their Men as had been killed upon this Occasion, were put into Carts, and likewise carried to the Frontiers. 'Tis said that M. de Wedderkop got away in Time.

Hamburg, Dec. 12. O. S. Yesterday M. John, the Danish Minister, received an Express from his Court, with Dispatches relating, as 'tis said, to the Affair of the Bailiwick of Steinhorst, which may be attended with fatal Consequences, if it be not accommodated very soon; for, 'tis reported, that the King of Denmark has ordered several Regiments to advance that Way; and that the Regency of Hanover, has likewise commanded several Regiments to be ready to march, in case of Need, to support the Detachment

which has dislodg'd the Danes from Steinhorst. Mean time the Regency of Hanover has published a Manifesto to justify his Britannick Majesty's Title to it. 'Tis affirm'd, that the Right of Sovereignty over the Territory of Steinhorst, in the Possession of M. de Wedderkop, who is a Privy Counsellor to the Duke of Wolfenbuttle, belong'd formerly to Magnus, the Duke of Saxe Lawenbourg, who mortgaged it for 16,000 Crowns to the Dettel of Busfeld. This Territory was afterwards sold for 27,000 Crowns, by the Duke Francis, to Duke Adolphus of Holstein Gottorp, who having resign'd his Right to it for a certain Sum of Money, to the Court of Hanover, the Regency thinks itself authorized to take Possession of the said Bailiwick, and to re-unite it to the Dutchy of Saxe Lawenbourg; but the Danish Court disputes it.

Some Passengers come from the Neighbourhood of Steinhorst say, that Redoubts are actually building about the Castle; and that all the Trees of the Garden are pulled up to make Palisadoes.

Vienna, Dec. 6. O. S. Letters from Transilvania say, the Plague is so much abated, that at Hetmanstadt, where, when it was at the worst, about 80 Persons died one Day with another, there die now but 15 or 20 at most. The Great Duke of Tuscany and his Dutches, set out this Morning for Italy, under a Discharge of 50 Pieces of Cannon. The Republick of Venice, has indeed consented to shorten the Term of their Quarantine, but not to take off the whole of it, so that they will be obliged to stop a few Days in a fine House fitted up for them near Verona.

Ratisbon, Dec. 11. O. S. The Dyet of the Empire is separated till the 30th Instant. All the Gates of this City are shut up except two, at which Persons are posted on purpose to examine all that enter the Town, in order to prevent the Communication of the Plague from Hungary; but they write from Vienna, that the Physician and Surgeon who were sent thither to enquire into the Nature of the Distempers there, have sent Word to Court, that they are not contagious.

Franchfort, Dec. 14. O. S. According to some Advices from Constantinople, there have died of the Plague in that City, to the middle of October, near 9000 Jews, and a proportionable Number of Christians and Turks; but that 'tis now considerably abated, and those who were retired into the Country were come back, and had begun to open their Shops again.

HOME PORTS.

Deat, Dec. 22. Wind N. E. Came down Yesterday and sailed, the William and Ann, Main, for St. Christopher's; the Timothy and Jacob, Belcher, for Virginia; the Squirrel, Ramsey, for Guiney. Arrived the Happy Couple, Cox, from Bristol; the Prince William, Grout, from Liverpool; and the Haily, Burdett, from Barbados.

Deat, Dec. 23. Wind E by S. No Ship in the Downs. Arrived the Draper, Leach, from Ireland.

L O N D O N.

The Princess Henrietta Casimira of Nassau Dietz, who di'd at Hanau last Friday Fortnight, was Sister to the late Prince John William Friso, Father to the present Prince of Orange; and as the States of Friseland were her Godmothers, they made her a Present of the Interest of 100,000 Florins, that they paid her constantly every Year, which Sum is by her Death sunk.

Some Advices from Saxony, speak doubtfully of the Health of the King of Poland.

The King of Prussia is confin'd to his Chamber by the Gout in his Arm.

They write from Petersburg, that the Czarina has resolv'd to add three Regiments more to the Troops she is sending to the Emperor's Assistance; and that the Court seems very well pleased with General Lascy's Behaviour in his last Expedition to Crim Tartary, where he took a very considerable Booty, besides Tartar Horses enough to remount his Cavalry, and above 10,000 Head of their black Cattle, which he carried off into the Ukraine.

From Vienna they say, they have Advice from the Army, that the Turks not only demanded

butions from the Territory of Belgrade and the neighbouring Provinces, but also in Croatia, threatening Fire and Sword in case of Refusal; and that the Infidels are not only hard at Work in repairing and augmenting the Fortifications of Orsova, but have erected a Magazine there, which they have stored with Provisions for six Months.

They write from Franckfort, that by virtue of the Union and Friendship established by the definitive Treaty between the Emperor and the King of France, the Subjects of both Powers are to enjoy, in the Dominions of each, all the Advantages and Prerogatives that are granted to those Nations which are most favoured.

And from Cologne, that an Incendiary lately set Fire to a House in the Village of Ober-Embt, by which 40 Houses and Barns were reduced to Ashes.

The Paris Letter of Wednesday last says, that the Duke de Chartres has the Small Pox, and is like to do well; but that the Bishop of Soissons died of it on the 15th Inst. and that the same Day died the Princess Auvergne, aged 50.

It mentions Letters from Genoa, dated the 7th Inst. with Advice, that the Province of Balagna, and almost all the flat Country, has submitted, and that the French General advanced about a Mile from Bastia, to receive the Submission of their Leaders, who had only demanded, before they laid down their Arms, that some Troops might be sent to secure them from the Resentment of such as might not approve of their Resolution: But as for the Highlanders, they are yet inflexible, and their Situation is so inaccessible, especially at this Season, when their Hills are encompassed with Snows, that there will be no coming at them till next Spring, which may oblige the French Troops to remain in Corsica longer than was expected. Mean time there are Letters from Naples which say, that after the Arrival of a Courier there from Madrid, the Baron de Neuhoft was put under an Arrest, and committed Prisoner to the Fortrefs of Gaeta.

Yesterday the Rev. Dr. George preached before his Majesty, the Duke of Cumberland, and the Princesses Amelia, Caroline and Mary, at the Chapel Royal at St. James's.

On Saturday last the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, attended by the Sheriffs, went in his Coach of State, according to annual Custom, to the several Markets of this City, in order to collect the Charity of well-disposed People, towards the Relief of the poor Prisoners for Debt in the City Gaols; and the same Evening a large Quantity of Bread and Meat, with the Money collected, was sent to Ludgate, Newgate, and the two Compters.

This being Christmas Day, the same will be observed at Court as a high Festival, when the Knights Companions of the most Noble Order of the Garter, Thistle and Bath, will appear in the Collars of their respective Orders.

On casting up the Books on the Poll for Common Council, the Numbers appeared as follows, viz.

A C Mr. Deputy, Thomas Oyles	192
A C James Creed, Esq;	189
A Mr. Samuel Herring	187
B C John Caswall, Esq;	180
B C Mr. John Townsend	175
A Mr. William Knight	174
A Mr. William Pepys	172
A Mr. Henry Lawton	166
B C Mr. Edward Ironside	165
B C Mr. John Barker	161
A Mr. Edward Neale	160
A Mr. James Hebert	157
B C Sir George Caswall	155
B C Mr. Thomas Thomson	141
B C Mr. Sam. Sydebotham	136
B Mr. John Chesslyn	130
A Mr. John Hawkins	124
B Mr. George Scullard	116
A Mr. James Wickes	104
B Mr. Samuel Littlebury	74

Whereupon the Ten first were declared; but a Scrutiny was demanded by the Gentlemen in the List with Mr. Deputy Oyles.

N. B. Those marked A. were in Mr. Oyles's List.

Those marked B. in Mr. Caswall's List.

Those marked C. were of the Common-Council last Year.

BANKRUPTS.

Robert Dowson, late of West Stockwith, in the County of Nottingham, Chapman.

John Allen, of Froom, in the County of Somerset, Malster and Chapman.

William Astrop, of the City of Norwich, Linen-draper and Chapman.

A General Bill of all the Christmings and Burials, from the 13th of December 1737, to the 12th of December 1738. According to the Report made to the King's Most Excellent Majesty. By the Company of Parish Clerks of London, &c.

Christened	Males 8212	Buried	Males 12750
	Females 7848		Females 13075
In all	16060	In all	25825

Decreased in the Burials this Year 1998.

Whereof have died,

Under 2 Years	9600	Seventy and Eighty	1121
Between 2 and 5	2366	Eighty and Ninety	529
Five and Ten	784	Ninety and a Hundred	101
Ten and Twenty	783	A Hundred	2
Twenty and Thirty	2072	A Hundred and Two	4
Thirty and Forty	2419	A Hundred and Three	2
Forty and Fifty	2363	A Hundred and Five	1
Fifty and Sixty	2106	A Hundred and Eleven	1
Sixty and Seventy	1551		

High Water this Day	Morning	Evening
at London Bridge.	09 51	10 10

Bank Stock 142 3-4ths. India nothing done. South Sea 104 to 103 5-8ths to 3-4ths. Old Annuity 112 1-4th to 3-8ths. New ditto Books shut. Three per Cent. 106 1-4th. Seven per Cent. Loan 112 3-4ths. Five per Cent. Ditto 100 7-8ths to 101. Royal Assurance 108. London Assurance 14. African 14. India Bonds 6 l. 18 s. to 19 s. Prem. South Sea ditto, 3 l. Prem. Bank Circulation 11. 15 s. Prem. Salt Tallics 1-half to 2 1-half Premium. English Copper 3 l. 15 s. Welsh ditto 15 s. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders 6 1-half per Cent. Prem. Three per Cent. ditto 3-4ths per Cent. Premium. Million Bank 122.

Bank, December 14, 1738.

UPON a Representation from his Majesty's Post-Master-General, that it is apprehended that the Expectation of finding Bank Bills in the Letters gives Encouragement to the frequent Robbery of the Mails, the Bank of England, to contribute what in them lies to put a Stop thereto, and to render their Bills of no Significance or Value to those who are guilty of such flagitious Practices, do declare, that for the Benefit and Security of those who have Occasion to transact Money Affairs in the Country, they will, from and after the 1st Day of January next, (instead of three Days Sight Bills) give to such as desire the same, their Bills payable at seven Days after Sight, to or Order, whereby, in case of a Robbery, the Proprietors will have Time to give Notice thereof; and if the Endorsements are duly filled up, as they expect they should, they can be of no Use or Service but to the right Owners.

And whereas they may fall into those Hands who may be ignorant of the Form of endorsing them, a Blank Endorsement will be printed on the Back for the Parties to fill up, and to be repeated as Occasion requires.

To be S O D,

THE Township of Noctorum, in the

Hundred of Wonall and County of Chester, lying about 4 Miles from Liverpool: Consisting of Two Farms conveniently laid together, no other Lands being intermixed: The North Farm (having convenient Housing and Out-housing) contains 69 Cheshire Acres, or One Hundred and Forty-three Statute Acres. The South Farm or Side (having the like convenient Buildings) contains 63 Cheshire Acres, or 131 Statute Acres, being together near the yearly Value of two hundred Pounds, but both capable of great Improvements. Besides which, there are 20 Cheshire Acres of Commoning belonging to the said Estate, within the said Township. The Whole is Freehold Lands of Inheritance, and will be sold together. Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. John Tilly, Attorney at Law, in the Poultry, London; and of Mr. Richard Ecclestone, Attorney at Law in Liverpool.

Ruptures cured by Mr. RAMSAY, Surgeon and Man-midwife, at his House in Castle-yard, Holborn.

IT is apprehended that the Neglect of Advertising for upwards of Two Years, has occasion'd a Report that Mr. Ramsay was dead, or had declined that Branch of his Business. The great Number of Persons who labour under Misfortunes of that Nature, call for a Renewal of Public Notice, That Mr. Ramsay continues effectually to cure all Disorders of that Kind; which was many Years ago well attested by very eminent Physicians and Surgeons; and the Curious or Afflicted may now be well satisfied by applying to the Publisher of the Craftsman, and many others, of the Certainty of Cures performed within later Times.

N. B. To prevent any one from losing the Opportunity of consulting with him who may come a great Way, he is at Home Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, until 12 o'Clock.

No Letters received, except Post paid.

BOOKS sold by J. OSBORN, in Pater-noster-Row.

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1. A Select Manual of Divine Meditations and Prayers suited to the most Necessary and Solemn Occasions: Adapted for Morning and Evening Service for every Day in the Week with a short Office to be Used Before, At, and After receiving of the Holy Sacrament. Being the Last Work of Rev. Mr. Joshua Smith, late Minister of Aldermanbury, Lecturer of Bow. Pr. in Sheets 1 s. 6d.

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